GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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INCREASE IN LPG PRODUCTION
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are considering to issue orders to Oil Refineries for increasing LPG production to fulfil the domestic demand of LPG;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Refineries produce maximum LPG to the extent possible because Refineries get good profits/margins for production of LPG. Hence there is no need to issue orders to Refineries for maximising LPG production.